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### Here Comes Da Judge: Robert Bork and You

by HUNTLEY HAVERSTOCK

Try to imagine this scene: you've just come home from a night at the bar and have met someone that interested you. Now the two of you are in your bedroom. Suddenly police lights shine through the window. It seems that your neighbors have been watching you and don't like what you are up to. So they call the police, who have caught you in the act of violating the sodomy law, which was passed in an era when wife beating and slavery were in vogue. You can't understand. All along, you have thought that what you did in the privacy of your bedroom was your own business.

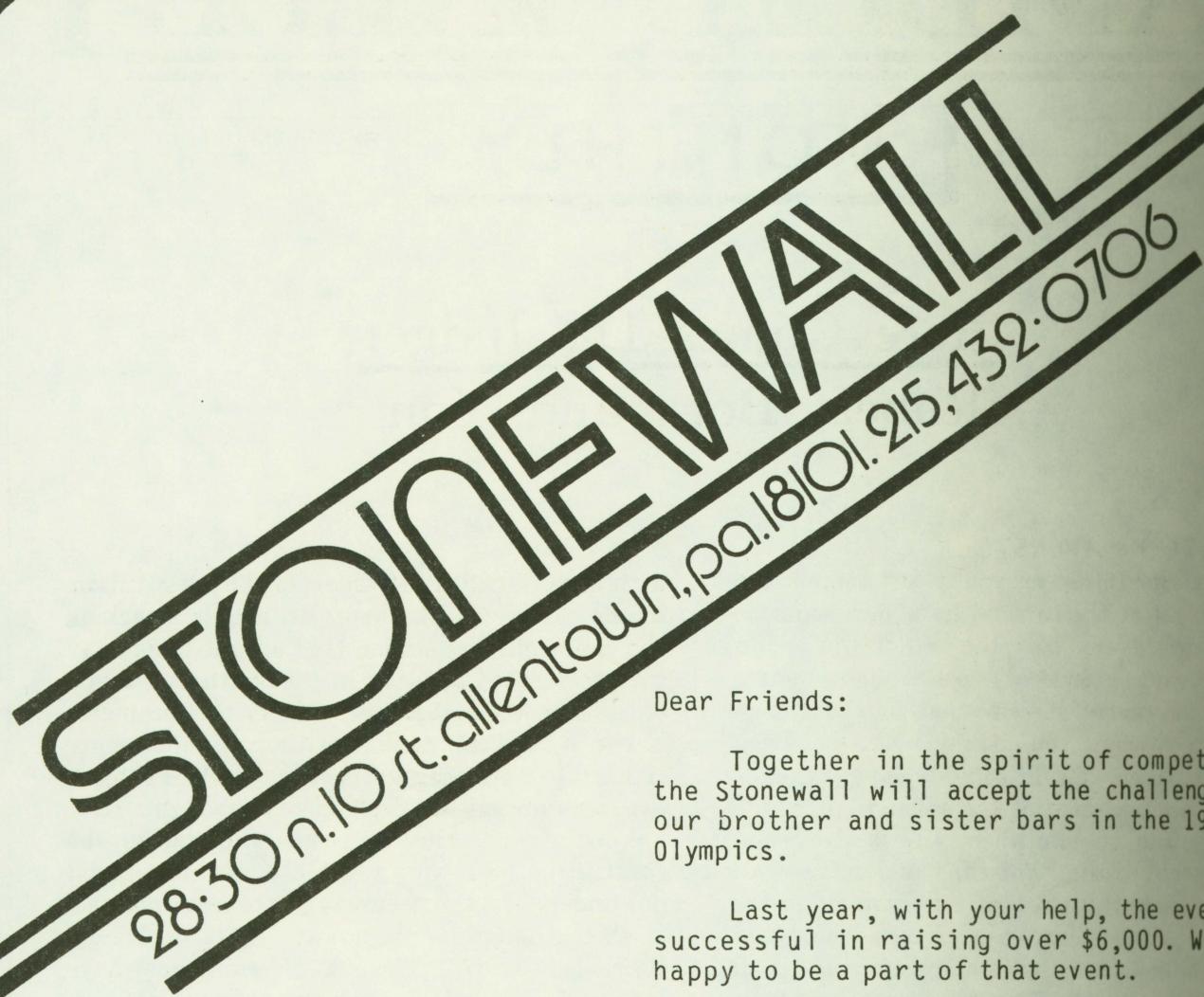
Now you're before a judge, and your name is all over the police blotter. Family shun you, and your employer hints that maybe you should start looking for another job. Sound like a trip to the Twilight Zone or a return to the not-so-fabulous Fifties? Well, no, folks, this is just a small glimpse into the private world of Ronald Reagan's nominee to the U.S. Supreme Court — Robert Bork.

Robert Bork's nomination to the nations highest court is important to all people who believe that one of the most cherished rights that a citizen has is the 'right to be left alone.' Gay and lesbian people should be aware that Judge Bork's view of the world is one that has only one place for us, in the closet. The basic philosophy of constitutional law that Bork follows, and which is vigorously championed by Attorney General Ed Meese, is called 'original intent.' Judge Bork believes that it is not the duty of judges to argue

with what he calls the framers of the Constitution. In the early 1960's, he wrote an article attacking the civil rights legislation that sought to do away with segregated facilities in the South as a denial of the protection of property under the commerce clause of the Constitution. Although he has since claimed to have changed his mind on this subject, his views on gay and lesbian people's rights have not changed one bit. The people who drew up the Constitution were very much of their era and did not understand the nature of gay or lesbian people at all. Although he was not at the Constitutional Convention in 1787, Thomas Jefferson must have spoken for a lot of them when he combined sodomy with rape in the Virginia Penal Code and made the penalty for both castration. Lesbians were let off easy with a hole of 'one half inch in diameter at the least' bored through the cartilage of the nose. One can see where going back to the 'original intent' of the framers could lead.

In 1984, sitting on the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia, Robert Bork decided that gay naval officer James L. Dronenburg had not been discriminated against by the Navy when he was discharged after having sex with another sailor. Bork declared that Dronenburg's claim of discrimination was 'completely frivolous.' Although the Constitution does protect other racial, ethnic and religious minorities, says Bork, there is 'no constitutional right' to engage in

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Dear Friends:

Together in the spirit of competition, the Stonewall will accept the challenge from our brother and sister bars in the 1987 Bar Olympics.

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Join us at Rainbow Mountain on Sunday, September 13, so that we all may accept the challenge of fighting AIDS.

Sincerely,

The Stonewall Management

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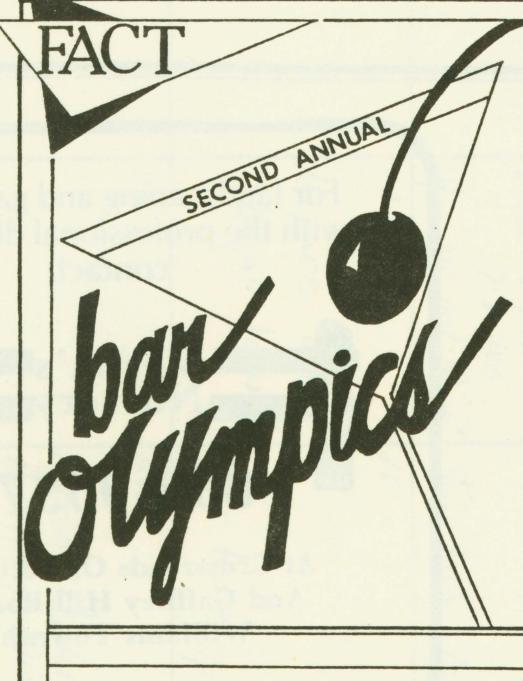
homosexual conduct and that, as judges, 'we have no warrant to create one.' If the state legislatures and public come to accept gay and lesbian people as having legal status under the law, all well and good. But Bork says it must come 'through the moral choices of the people and their elected representatives.' Although 26 states have decriminalized private homosexual acts between consenting adults, 24 still outlaw homosexual sodomy and 19 of those outlaw heterosexual sodomy as well. As far as Judge Bork is concerned, it's your tough luck if you get caught in the act in the wrong state.

The Supreme Court on June 30 of last year seemed to uphold Bork's logic by its support of Georgia's 1820's sodomy law in the case of *Bowers vs Hardwick*. It is the morality of 1787 and that of the local straight community that will decide what our fate will be. If we offend the majority of Americans by whom we sleep with, even in the privacy of our own bedrooms, the state may prosecute us.

This, of course, is just one area where Judge Bork's position seems to fly in the face of the liberal reforms that the 1960's and 1970's created to protect civil liberties. Abortion should be banned, dirty books censored, and women and other minorities should be denied affirmative action programs.

There is an even larger question here. Judge Bork may have fine legal credentials and, according to Time magazine, mix a mean martini. But when it comes to the future of the Supreme Court, he can be counted on to make decisions that support the states' right to regulate your personal conduct and pull them back from regulating big business.

If you care about these things, the time to act is now. Send letters to your local member of Congress and your Senators, letting them know how you feel. Act before it is too late — otherwise, that midnight knock on the door may be for you. ☐



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First, if your are not registered to vote, get yourself registered. The Lambda Center has voter registrations for Berks, Bucks, Monroe, Lehigh, Northampton, and Warren (NJ) counties. If you live in one of these counties, you can register to vote at any Lambda Center event until October 1st. If you are registered to vote, use that right. Get out and vote. The next Pennsylvania Election Day is November 10th.

Second, the Lambda Center is publishing a guide for gay and lesbian voters. If you are not sure where a candidate stands on issues that concern us, the Center will let them tell you. A unbiased guide, there will be no endorsements. Voting is your decision and right; the pamphlet will present the facts and let you decide. ☐

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The Lambda Center is going to the theatre, and they want you to join them. They are purchasing a block of seats at the State Theatre's production of *Evita*, the award-winning musical of the life of Eva Peron. Tickets are \$15 and may be purchased through the Lambda Center. Proceeds benefit the

Gay and Lesbian Hotline, Pennsylvania's only 24 hour gay/lesbian hotline.

FACT, Fighting AIDS Continuously Together, is sponsoring the Second Annual Bar Olympics at Rainbow Mountain Resort in the Poconos on Sunday, September 13 at 11:00 am to 9:00 pm. The fun-filled day includes entertainment from New Hope and Provincetown, Bars from Philadelphia, New Jersey, Stroudsburg, Easton, Allentown competing, fun, and more!! Tickets are \$10 and may be purchased from FACT at P.O. Box 1028, Allentown, PA 18105-1028 or at your favorite bar. Proceeds will benefit AIDS-related projects.

...And while you're writing out your checks, please don't forget your newsletter, the *Lambda Valley Monthly*, the valley's openly gay periodical, published and distributed free of charge. You may send your tax deductible donation to *Lambda Valley Monthly*, P.O. Box 1633, Allentown, PA 18105-1633. Only with you does it work!!!!

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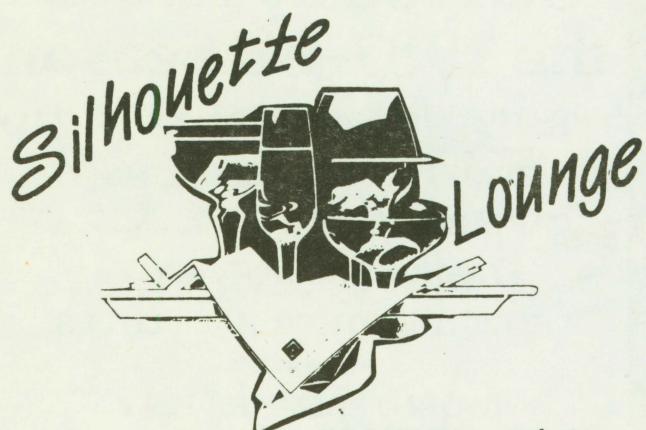
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## FROM THE EDITOR...

Dear Readers:

I hope you have enjoyed a safe and happy summer. As fall rolls around, we are entering a new year with the *Lambda Valley Monthly*, which promises to be truly exciting.

Since my involvement in August of 1986, the newsletter has undergone some stylistic changes, such as computer typesetting, giving it a more polished and professional look. Content copy has been very diverse with stories ranging from the national, state and local levels, to opinion editorials from our own batch of hometown writers. I hope you have enjoyed them as much as I have.

Since this newsletter is put together through volunteer efforts, we periodically run into scheduling conflicts with the end result being late distribution. This problem is being ironed out by making a few deadline changes. I ask all of you,

readers and advertisers to bear with us as we get our act together.

As for direction, I am pleased (and I hope you agree) with the progress and turn the newsletter is taking. After all it is a product of our community, and it is your only voice here in the valley.

The progress and direction of the newsletter is a by-product of the progress and direction of the gay community across the nation. The days of fear of speaking our for what we believe in are behind us, as is evidenced by our refusal to idly stand by and watch our fellow man die due to the government's inaction and failure to deal effectively with the AIDS crisis. Instead, we lobby for more funding and education.

When we are faced with the Borks, Meeses and Falwells of this world, who want to deprive us of our civil rights, we fight all the way to the Supreme Court, and we are not afraid of marching on Washington either. We did it in 1979, and we will be there again October 11, 1987.

A fair warning to our elected officials: we are gay or lesbian, and we vote. Gone are the days when we blindly endorse people who make policies denying us our right to live and to love. A reminder, my fellow readers: if we band together, we have the second largest voting block, second only to the woman's vote. There are many who understand this, visible in the *We the 25 Million* rally and the campaign to draft Ginny Apuzzo to run for the presidency of the United States. Ms. Apuzzo is an openly gay politician who works for the State of New York.

Bottom line, folks, we are gay, and we are proud. It started in 1969 with Stonewall riots and continues today with the ever increasing popularity of the gay pride parades and our refusal to be second class citizens!

Now, loyal readers, none of this is possible without you. Your input, whether critical or agreeable, and your involvement count! I want to hear from you: comments, criticism or ideas, they all matter. After all, your newsletter and your community are what you make them! ☐

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As we grow, our need for hard news reporters for front page material, photographers, and input from other groups and areas intensifies.

Discretion available upon request. So come on, all you Bob Woodards and Carl Bernsteins, let's see what you come up with!

Thank you,  
Your Editor

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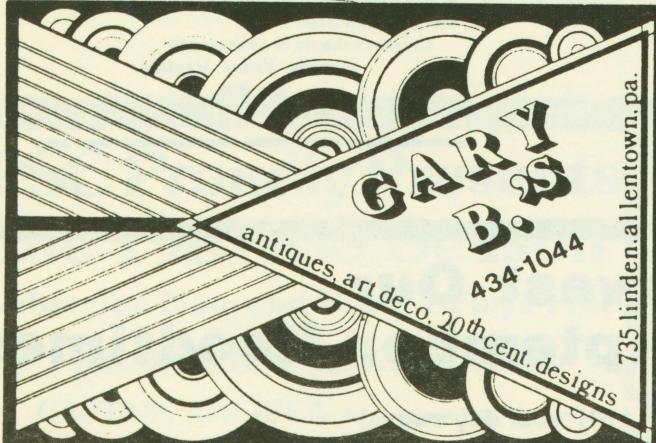
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27 August 1987

Greetings,

Labor Day is upon us already? What happened to everything I wanted to do this summer? Suppose I'll have to save it for '88. I enjoyed seeing everyone at the Picnic on August 2nd and thank you all for your support. The weather was nice one more time. Does anyone know if any of the Picnics have ever been rained out? I can't remember any.

Enclosed with this UPDATE of everything going on at the Lehigh Valley Lesbian and Gay Community Center is September's issue of Le-Hi-Ho's Lambda Valley Monthly. Le-Hi-Ho should be commended for nearly 19 years of service to the Lehigh Valley. As America's oldest gay organization we owe them a great deal for being their before many of us knew what it was to be sexual at all, let alone be gay or lesbian. So to Le-Hi-Ho... THANK YOU.

And now onto current matters at hand... We've told ourselves that we count, now we need to be counted, we need to VOTE!!!

At every event the Lambda Center or AIDS Services Center holds or participates during September, the opportunity for voter registration will be there. It's THAT important!!!

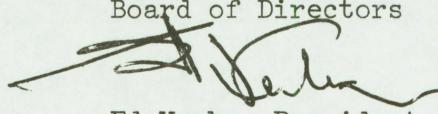
Any elected official's interest or support of the Lesbian and Gay community is proportional to our community's ability to make a difference on Election Day. That's political logic- sweet and simple. There is absolutely no reason for any elected official to take us seriously unless we can, as a community, quantify that we are registering voters AND GETTING THEM OUT TO VOTE. It's not enough to register to vote, you need to cast that ballot.

The Lambda Center is also in the process of putting together our Fall '87 Guide for the Lesbian and Gay Voter. The Guide will be the views candidates have of the issues most important to us. It will not be an endorsement of any candidate, merely a tool; it will provide you with the information to make that decision. Though no endorsements will be made you may want to note the candidates that have "NO REPLY" next to their name. How seriously does a candidate take our community if he or she does not bother to respond to our questions? or What is he or she hiding about those opinions? I'll leave the answer to you.

So register to vote, get the Fall '87 Guide for Lesbian and Gay Voters, read it, and then make yourself known... VOTE.

There is a lot going on in the upcoming months at LVLGCC, hope to see you at the Lambda Center soon. Take care. As always...

For the LVLGCC  
Board of Directors



Ed Verba, President

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## -- We're More Than All Talk... --

When you ask any of the original organizers of the Lambda Center what one of the earliest uses was to be, without a doubt as a forum to discuss issues that are of concern and of interest to the Gay and Lesbian community. So was initiated the original Lecture Series as the Center opened. The 1987 calendar of topics is hopefully a realization of the earliest concept of the Lambda Center.

In September... A legal forum- We are going to take a look at how the law deals with gays and lesbians. Real trivia buffs will remember that we did this about two years ago. The topics raised will be from the audience, but I'm sure that some of the areas will deal with the formation and writing of wills, buying property, sodomy laws and Judge Bork. From here it's only up to the group as to how the forum will go. We have invited a well known local attorney who has had experience with the ACLU and works in private practice in Allentown. There is a suggested donation of \$3.00 (with a 50¢ discount for members) for the lecture. The lecture is September 17th at 8:00 p.m. at the Lambda Center.

In October... Financial Planning and Other Money Matters- Speaking on October 8th at 8:00 p.m. at the Lambda Center will be Robert Ulaner, financial planning consultant at IDS American Express. Mr. Ulaner will be speaking on all areas of Financial Planning with emphasis on three major areas:

- 1) Disability insurance
- 2) Survivors in a non-conventional relationship
- 3) Planning and meeting financial goals

This is an area few of us know much about, but can have a major impact on large portions of our lives. We are indeed fortunate to have someone the caliber of Mr. Ulaner to answer our questions and inform us what is going on in the world of financial planning. The cost is a suggested donation of \$3.00/friends and \$2.50/members.

In November... The Rights of the Disabled- Nationally known from her TV appearances and attendance at the New York Gay Pride Parade and Philadelphia's "We The People..." events, Karen Thompson will be in the Lehigh Valley on November 13th. More information will be available on this next month, BUT PLEASE mark this date on your calendar. You won't want to miss Ms. Thompson as she speaks of her two year fight to see her lover Sharon Kowalski who lies helpless in a Minnesota nursing home.



## "The Time Is Now" --

More crucial than ever "THE TIME IS NOW".... The Lehigh Valley Lesbian and Gay Community Center is actively involved in making the Gay and Lesbian Community aware of what is going on and making the rest of the world know WE ARE HERE.

Our goal is to have 200 members by December 31st. Think of it this way-By December 31st we will be "We The PEOPLE 200". If you have joined we thank you. Memberships have been coming in. If you're not a member...

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## A MESSAGE BY DR. JEAN ROSALES...

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### NEWS FROM THE NATION'S CAPITAL

This is your official Washington correspondent reporting to you from high atop Capitol Hill. In the next few months, I hope to keep you updated on legislation and political news affecting the gay community in the Lehigh Valley.

And now for the news...

#### GAY RIGHTS IN 100TH CONGRESS

- The magic number in the House of Representatives is now 68. As of July 23, sixty-eight Members of the House had co-sponsored H.R. 709, the "gay rights" bill introduced by Rep. Ted Weiss (D-NY) in January. The latest co-sponsor is Philadelphia's own Bill Gray. If you live or work in his district, call or write to thank him for his support. Other Pennsylvanians co-sponsoring are Bill Coyne of Pittsburgh, Tom Foglietta of Philadelphia, and Pete Kostmayer of Bucks County.
- The Senate version of the bill, S.464, is holding steady at six co-sponsors. Heinz and Specter are not among the six (surprised?).

#### AIDS TESTING

- Yet another battle over AIDS is drawing nearer in Congress -- this time over AIDS testing and reporting of results. Rep. Henry Waxman (D-CA) has introduced H.R. 3071, a bill that will authorize funding for AIDS testing and counseling, ensure confidentiality of test records and prohibit discrimination against those who test positive for the virus. Sen. Edward Kennedy (D-MA) has introduced a similar bill, S. 1575, in the Senate.

On the other side, we have Rep. William Dannemeyer (R-CA) and Sen. Jesse Helms (R-NC) -- who are pushing mandatory testing for "certain groups of people" and mandatory reporting of positive results to public health officials.

Rep. Waxman, who chairs the House committee with jurisdiction over AIDS legislation, will be holding hearings on both bills, as well as other AIDS testing legislation, August 6 and 7. It's expected that Waxman's bill will be on the floor (ready for a vote) in early October.

Waxman's bill is not perfect - it sidesteps the issue of mandatory testing by leaving it up to individual states and does permit test results to be given out in certain circumstances. But it does have the backing of a number of medical groups and is far more sensitive to civil rights issues than other legislation currently being considered.

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FOR THE RECORD:

- For those of you who think that reading the Congressional Record is a boring way to spend Monday morning, let me draw your attention to the floor speeches of Tuesday, July 28. On that day, the gentleman (?) from California, Rep. William Dannemeyer decided to launch a one and one-half hour speech on AIDS, sex and public health. Among the gems of wisdom he shared with his colleagues, C-SPAN and those of us trapped on Capitol Hill were:
- "...airplanes are the most significant threat to society's survival."
- "Death is a powerful motivator."
- "Quantity sex is over, but quality sex is not."
- "Many people confuse the terms monogamy and monotony. They are not synonymous."

With material like that, Mr. Dannemeyer should consider giving Dr. Ruth and Dr. Suess a run for their money. It is, of course, fitting that Disneyland is in his district.

With Congress adjourning for its traditional August recess, things will be calm around here for a while. Don't forget to mark your calendars for the March on Washington in October. I'll be looking for you.

For now -- that's it from the Nation's capital.

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NOTE: DR. ROSALES HAS A PH.D. IN GOVERNMENT AND IS A FORMER PROFESSOR AT LEHIGH UNIVERSITY. SHE IS CURRENTLY WORKING WITH THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS. THIS COLUMN WILL APPEAR HEREAFTER IN LE-HI-HO'S LAMBDA VALLEY MONTHLY, BUT BECAUSE OF DEADLINES IT APPEARS THIS MONTH ONLY IN UPDATE. COMMENTS OR CORRESPONDENCE WITH THE AUTHOR SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO LAMBDA VALLEY MONTHLY, NOT THE LEHIGH VALLEY LESBIAN AND GAY COMMUNITY CENTER. THANK YOU.

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Don't forget to register and vote!

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## --Dinner/Dance-- A Celebration--

THE FIFTH ANNUAL LAMBDA CENTER DINNER WILL BE HELD ON OCTOBER 23RD AT 7:30 P.M. AT THE HAMILTON PLAZA IN ALLENTOWN. A MAJOR DIFFERENCE TO THIS YEARS DINNER IS THAT IS BEING PLANNED AS A DINNER/DANCE RATHER THAN A DINNER WITH A SPEAKER. THE COST WILL BE \$27.50/FRIENDS AND \$25.00/MEMBERS. THIS IS PLANNED A A MAJOR CELEBRATION OF OUR COMMUNITY. PLEASE PLAN TO ATTEND AND BE PART OF THIS EVENT. TICKETS CAN BE OBTAINED FROM THE LAMBDA CENTER OFFICE OR ANY MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

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## -- March For Rights --

On the weekend of October 9,10,11, 1987 a major nation event will be taking place in OUR Nation's Capitol, Washington D.C. The National March on Washington for Lesbian and Gay Rights will be the second time we have taken to the streeets in such large numbers. The firtst time was in October 1979.

The March has approved the following demands

- The legal recognition of Lesbian and Gay Relationships
- The repeal of all laws that make sodomy between consenting adults a crime
- Passage of the Congressional Lesbian and Gay Civil Rights Bill
- An end to discrimination against people with AIDS, ARC, HIV positive status, or those perceived to have AIDS. Massive increase in funding for AIDS education, research, and patient care, Money for AIDS, not for war.
- A Presidential order banning discrimination by the Federal gov't.
- Reproductive freedom, the right to control owr own bodies, and an end to sexist oppression.
- An end to racism in this country and apatheid in South Africa.

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## -- Live & Let Live --

A note on the use of the Lambda Center. The Center is and always has been here to serve and be used by our community. It is open to all segments of that community. It is our hope that you will observe and respect the rights of any group using the facility. Those uses include, but are not limited to Sunday evenings the Center is used by those worshiping will MCC, Fridays by Your Turf (NO ONE OVER 23 years old, PLEASE), and one the third Mondays by Womyn's Night. We urge everyone to respect the sovereignty of these and other groups and limit use to other times. Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

## -- A chance to make a difference...<sup>6.</sup>

The Lambda Center, AIDS Services Center and HOTLINE are currently in need of volunteers of all capability, expertise and time availability. We need folks to staff the phones (3 hours/month), help with the monthly mailings (5 hours/month), and work with our library and archives (1-3 hours/week) among other things. Also the AIDS Services Center is in need of "buddies", support services and speakers (for AIDS education).

Any of our services or projects can only be as successful as the people helping. If we are to grow we need volunteers to replace the ones that have already generously given of their time and we need volunteers in increased numbers to add additional services and projects.

The next training session for all new volunteers is 14 SEPTEMBER 1987 at 7:30 p.m. at THE LAMBDA CENTER. If you are already a volunteer you need not attend (though you certainly are invited to attend). This meeting is for anyone who wishes to get involved at whatever level they wish to get involved.

Please call 433-7377 to register or for additional information.

## -- Video Night Revisited --

VIDEO NIGHT is back for the fall bigger and better than ever. We are working with the Theater for the Living Arts in Philadelphia to bring to the Lambda Center audience the largest selection of gay-and-lesbian-themed films from around the world. Our attempt is to bring to you films that are not readily available at the corner video rental store. Let's face it, if you can rent them yourselves why come to the Lambda Center to watch them. Also we are moving the VIDEO NIGHT to the second Thursday so as to avoid conflict with Friday evening events.

So with that in mind here's the lineup for the remainder of 1987... September 10th at 7:30, YOU ARE NOT ALONE (Denmark, 1980) Described by John Hartl of the Seattle Times as "Gentle and funny in the best style of Truffaut." The film is about two boys at a Danish boarding school who find themselves strongly attracted to one another. This buoyant tale of youth and budding sexuality is handled with unusual taste and discretion. Incidental nudity, strong language and unusually realistic acting by the large cast of attractive young newcomers.

October 15th- My Beautiful Laundrette (Note: This is the THIRD of 5 Thurs. in Oct.)

November 12th- Desert Hearts

December 10th- Parting Glances

## -- Let's Party -- We're 3 yrs. old!!

Enclosed in this mailing you will find two tickets for the THIRD BIRTHDAY PARTY of the Lambda Center. The PARTY is on September 25th beginning at 7:30 pm. There will be music for dancing, food and beverage, old friends to see again and new friends to meet and of course a birthday cake. Come out and celebrate the third anniversary of the "Center" that everyone said couldn't survive in the Lehigh Valley. There is a suggested donation of \$3.00/ticket (with a 50¢ membership discount). The Lambda Center looks forward to sharing this celebration with you. See you on the 25th.

## -- Take Action On Bork --

DURING THE FALL THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE WILL BE CONSIDERING THE NOMINATION OF JUDGE ROBERT BORK TO FILL A VACANCY ON THE SUPREME COURT.

GAYS AND LESBIANS HAVE "NO CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHT TO PRIVACY."

ROBERT BORK

WE SIMPLY CAN'T AFFORD TO HAVE HIM BE ON THE SUPREME COURT  
CALL, WRITE, OR VISIT OUR SENATORS--

ARLEN SPECTER (215) 597-7200 OR  
JOHN HEINZ (215) 925-8750



# **National March on Washington for Lesbian and Gay Rights**

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## **We Too, Have A Dream . . .**

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The first March on Washington for Lesbian and Gay rights was held in October 1979.

Much has happened since then—Much has not.

With the spector of AIDS in our community and a continued threat to our civil rights the movement toward equality for gays and lesbians needs a new energy. On October 11, 1987 the second **National March on Washington for Lesbian and Gay Rights** will give us a new beginning.

Lesbians, gays and civil rights supporters are going to march on Washington to demand those rights that continue to be denied.

There is only one thing that can make a difference—**YOU**.

We need your help to make this dream into a reality.

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Yes, I want to support the **National March on Washington for Lesbian and Gay Rights**.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Enclosed is a donation for  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_.

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Please send information on  
how I can get involved.

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Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Lehigh Valley Lesbian/Gay  
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749 Hamilton Street  
Allentown, PA 18101

September 1987

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
		1 Finance Committee 7:30 PM	2	3	4 Your turf 7pm	5
6	7 Labor Day	8 re/communication Committee 7:30 PM	9	10 Video Night 7:30 pm "You are not Alone" Your turf 7pm	11	12
13 H&T Bar Olympics 11AM - 9PM	14 downtown AA 12pm	15 Rescuing Services Committee 6:30PM	16	17 lecture 8pm "Legal Forum" Your turf 7pm	18	19
16 AA 7:30 PM	17 Training Session 7:30PM	18 Board of Directors 7:30 PM	19	20 downtown AA 12pm	21 AIDS Services Center and Volunteer Coordinator Meeting 7:30PM	22 Lambda Center Birthday Bash 7:30PM
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29 Membership Fundraising Committee 7:30PM	30			